Ulster County Development Corporation (UCDC) Internal Control Assessment As of 12/31/11

A. Define Major Business Functions

- Coordination and delivery of economic development services
- Administration of Ulster County Industrial Development Agency (UCIDA) and various loan programs.
- > Facilitation of real estate development
- > Financial operations
- Administration

B. Determine the Risks Associated with Operations

Assess Risk Exposure

Economic Development ModerateUCIDA/Loan Administration Moderate

Real Estate Development
Financial Operations
Moderate to High
Moderate to High

Administration Low

Risks

- Conflicts of Interest
- Improper influence of project clients or involved officials on UCDC
- Improper influence of UCDC on project clients or involved officials
- Non-Repayment of Loans
- Negligent or fraudulent administrations of UCIDA
- Projects do not accomplish their goals
- Fraud in financial operations

C. Internal Control Systems in Place

- Mission Statement
- Policies
- Procedures
- Job Descriptions

D. Assessment of the Effectiveness of Internal Controls

- President's review of controller and administrative functions
- Audit Committee meetings
- Governance Committee meetings
- Annual Reports
- External audit

C. Corrective Action

- Plans developed when weakness is identified
- Plans adopted by the board and monitored by management